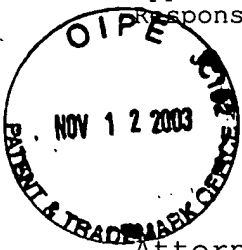


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This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed July 11, 2003, the term for response to which is extended by one month by petition filed concurrently herewith to November 11, 2003 (Veteran's Day).

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claim 1 is amended; claims 2, 3 and 5-7 are canceled; and claim 4 is maintained.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.